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OLIGONUCLEOTIDES

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(37 CFR 1.312)

Please make the amendments shown in the attached papers in this application in the:

- ☐ abstract.
- ☒ specification.
- ☐ drawings.
- ☐ claims.

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- ☒ This Amendment is needed for proper disclosure or protection of the invention and requires no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the PTO.

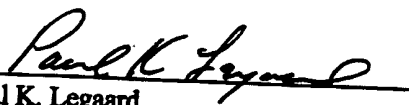
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- ☐ This Amendment affects the disclosure or scope of a claim. The attached supplemental pages set forth the reasons why the amendment is needed, why the proposed amended or new claims require no additional search or examination, why the claims are patentable, and why they were not earlier presented.
- ☒ The issue fee:
- ☒ has not been paid.
- ☐ is paid separately herewith.
- ☐ was paid on _____.
- ☐ Because the issue fee has been paid, the applicant hereby petitions for entry of the attached amendments. Petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(i)(1)) of \$130.00 is paid by:
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- ☐ In the remarks in the attached supplemental page(s) is a showing, as required by 37 CFR 1.312(b), for amendments filed after the date the issue fee is paid, of good and sufficient reasons why the amendments are necessary and were not earlier presented.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312

In the Specification:

At page 1, after the title, please insert the following paragraph:

--CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

G1 The present application claims priority to provisional Application No. 60/081,483 filed April 13, 1998.--

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to insert the claim for priority, which was made in the executed Combined Declaration And Power Of Attorney filed June 28, 1999, at the first page of the specification.